



City of Covington

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HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION SITE VISIT TO MAPLE VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER REPORT October 11, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

SITE VISIT:

The Commission conducted a site visit to the Greater Maple Valley Community Center to view the facility and learn more about the SE Regional Shuttle. The Regional Shuttle program was recommended for funding in the 2013-14 funding cycle.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Haris Ahmad, Fran McGregor-Hollums, and John Woodcock

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Leslie Hamada, Colleen Holmes, Mia McFarland, and Sue Ray,

CITY STAFF PRESENT

Victoria Throm, Personnel & Human Services Analyst

TOUR:

Allison Scott, the SE Regional Shuttle Program Director provided a tour of the Community Center and The Den, a teen youth center. Allison explained how the staff coordinates the shuttle requests to meet the needs of the riders from Maple Valley, Black Diamond, Ravensdale, and Covington. A high number of requests come from Covington residents and with continued marketing the number of Covington residents is expected to increase.

Eligibility requirements are for transportation dependent residents 13 years or older. The trip fare is only 50 cents per one-way trip. Reservations are accepted on a first come, first served basis. There is a 30-minute window for scheduled pick-ups. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday from 9:00 am to 4:45 pm.

Submitted by:

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